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25X1A 6. (Secret - GLC) Hand carried to James Kendall, Staff Director of the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee, follow up papers prepared by [] OSR, on "Estimated Soviet Heavy Bomber Numbers" and "Percentage of Soviet Intercontinental Nuclear Attack Capability Represented by Soviet Heavy Bomber Force." These papers were in response to questions raised during [] briefing of the ad hoc Subcommittee on Bomber Defense.

25X1A I advised Colonel Harper, of the Preparedness Subcommittee staff, that we were preparing the answers to the questions which were raised during Mr. Duckett's briefing of the ad hoc Subcommittee on Research and Development and would transmit them to him as soon as they were completed.

7. (Secret - GLC) Messrs. Maury and [] met with Senator John McClellan (D., Ark.) to renew our offer to resume the briefings which were begun during the visit which he and Senator Henry Jackson (D., Wash.) recently paid to the Agency. We specifically mentioned a briefing by Mr. Duckett. We also discussed in some detail the Agency's problems with regard to the Ervin bill (S. 782). Senator McClellan is sympathetic to our position and opposed to the bill generally. (See Memo for the Record for details.)

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8. (Confidential - GLC) Picked up from Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director of the Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, two books: The First Vietnam Crisis and Communist China in World Politics; the last of the books which were loaned to the staff.

9. (Secret - GLC) Messrs. Maury and [] met with Bill Woodruff, on the staff of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and alerted him to Senator J. W. Fulbright's (D., Ark.) request to the Under Secretary of State, Elliot L. Richardson, for a copy of a new intelligence estimate having to do with Soviet weaponry. We advised Woodruff that the Director proposed to send letters to Senators Russell and Stennis informing them of this request and also informing them of the Director's intention to decline to provide any NIE to the Foreign Relations Committee referring the matter to the President if Senator Fulbright persisted in his request. Woodruff appeared to be in accord with the Director's proposed course of action on this but suggested that we avoid, to the fullest extent possible, the question of executive privilege. In discussing this suggestion we mentioned that certain NIE's pertaining to atomic energy matters are provided to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy and Woodruff understood this and, in fact, referred to the Atomic Energy Act provisions under which this information was provided the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy.

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Woodruff asked if we would provide him with a "fact sheet" on the Soviet SS-9 missile.

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10. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, in response to Chairman Pike's request for an unclassified summary of the Director's testimony on the Pueblo inquiry for inclusion in the published hearings of the Committee. I reviewed with him again, the substantive content of the Director's testimony and the problems inherent in open publication of matters of testimony by the Director. With some reluctance, Mr. Slatinshek accepted the determination that an unclassified summary cannot be provided. Mr. Slatinshek pointed out that Mr. Seligman, of NBC, has spent a couple of hours with the Committee staff requesting information for a white paper on the Pueblo to be presented in the near future by NBC. He noted that Mr. Seligman had been on this assignment since January and that by his questions, apparently has gathered more material on the subject than is available at present to the Subcommittee. It is noted that although Mr. Slatinshek has relented in the Committee's request, pressures for publication of all public information by the Committee could well result in a renewed request to the Agency at a later date.

Briefed Mr. Slatinshek on the Soviet helicopter, Leningrad, and reviewed with him the Daily News press report of Senator Ervin's remarks concerning Agency opposition to S. 782.

11. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. Carl Marcy, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, and discussed with him Chairman Fulbright's request for review of the transcript of Admiral Raborn's testimony of July 19, 1965 with respect to the Dominican Republic for possible publication. Mr. Marcy noted that there is no intention of release of testimony on Agency matters but requested that we provide a letter to the Chairman setting forth some specifics as to why the Agency is unable to sanitize and release the transcript. See Memo for Record.

Mr. Marcy noted that a problem is generating within the Committee relating to the testimony of Secretary Laird concerning first-strike capability and new intelligence information on the SS-9. He noted the ball is in State Department's court as a result of an exchange between Chairman Fulbright and Under Secretary Elliot Richardson during the Spanish base hearings yesterday and apologized that the transcript would not be available until tomorrow morning, if we cared to review it. Since the exchange with Under Secretary Richardson related to the new intelligence estimate on the SS-9, Mr. Marcy felt that the matter would be of interest to us. See Memo for the Record. 25X1A

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